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TAGS: BEXP, FR  
SUBJECT: CERTIFICATION OF FRENCH STEEL EXPORTS

1. PROMINENT FRENCH FIRM HAS REQUESTED EMBASSY ASSIST-  
ANCE IN OBTAINING PRECISE INFORMATION ON PROCEDURE FOR  
GETTING QUOTE APPROVAL/CERTIFICATION UNQUOTE FROM  
ASSOCIATION AMERICAN RAILROADS ENABLING IT TO EXPORT  
FREIGHT CAR COMPONENTS TO U.S.. COMPANY IN QUESTION I  
LICENSEE OF AMERICAN FIRM AND CURRENTLY PRODUCES  
BOGIES AND WHEELS IN ACCORDANCE WITH AAR SPECIFICA-  
TIONS. TO DATE SOME SHIPMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO MEXICO  
UNDER TEMPORARY AUTHORIZATION OF MISSOURI PACIFIC RAIL-  
ROAD.

2. OTHER AMERICAN FREIGHT CAR BUILDERS ALSO INTERESTED  
IN STEEL CASTINGS, COUPLERS, WHEELS AND OTHER ITEMS DUE  
REPORTEDLY TO SHORTAGE FOUNDRY CAPACITY IN U.S.. FRENCH  
COMPANY THUS NEEDS QUOTE AAR APPROVAL UNQUOTE TO ENABLE  
U.S. END USERS TO UTILIZE FRENCH PRODUCTS IN CARS  
PRODUCED FOR INTER-RAILWAY EXCHANGE.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE SOONEST INFORMATION ON PROCEDURES  
AND STEPS REQUIRED BY AAR TO SATISFY ABOVE MENTIONED  
REQUIREMENTS.

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